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SERIAL NO: 10/582,791 :  
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FOR: METHOD FOR REPAIRING :  
ERRORS OF PATTERNS EMBODIED IN  
THIN LAYERS

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated December 12, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.